

I feel that this proposal would force equipment manufacturers out of the business, which would make new equipment unavailable and much higher in cost, thereby discouraging persons from becoming Amateur Operators.

While this proposal seems like a good idea in principle, it would be very detrimental to the growth and longevity of the Service in the long-run.

Modern Technology and advancements in electronics and manufacturing has made self-repair of Amateur Radio Equipment all but impossible by the typical amateur radio operator.